GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTACT

GAD – Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission – Modified Scheme of examination to the posts falling under Group-I Services - Orders – Issued.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION(SER-A) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.158 Dated:26-12-2018

Read the following:

1 G.O.Ms.No.141, Finance (HR-I Plg. & Policy) Department, dated 01-08-2016.
2 From the Secretary, APPSC, Letter No. 105/SS/2018, dated 25.09.2018.
3 From the Secretary, APPSC, Letter No.105/SS/2018, Dated 05-12-2018.

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ORDER:

In the reference 1st read above, orders were issued prescribing the Scheme of examination for recruitment to the posts falling under Group-I(A) Services.

2. In the reference 2nd read above, the APPSC has requested to modify the Scheme of examination and the syllabus to the Group-I Services as recommended by the Expert Committee. Accordingly, they have sought to modify the orders issued in the reference 1st read above.

3. The Government, after careful examination of the matter, hereby, decide to modify the Scheme of examination and the Syllabus for recruitment to the posts falling under Group-I Services. Accordingly, in supersession to the orders issued earlier, the new scheme of examination and syllabus for posts falling under Group-I Services, is prescribed as appended to this order in Annexure-A & B.

4. The Secretary, Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission shall take necessary action in the matter.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

GOPAL KRISHNA DWIVEDI
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (SER.) (FAC)

To
The Secretary, APPSC.
All Spl.CS/Prl. Secretaries/Secretaries to Government
All the Departments of Secretariat
All Heads of Departments
All the District Collector/District Judges
All Administrative/ Service Sections in GAD
Copy to:
The PS to Chief Secretary to Government
The Prl. Secy. To Chief Minister
The Accountant General, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada SF/SC.

//FORWARDED::BY ORDER//

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ANNEXURE — A

SCHEME OF EXAMINATION FOR RECRUITMENT TO THE POSTS FALLING UNDER GROUP-I SERVICES

SCREEING TEST - WRITTEN EXAMINATION (OBJECTIVE TYPE)

Subject	No. of Questions	Duration	Marks
Screening Test (Objective Type) Paper -I General Studies. This paper consists of 04 parts i.e., ABCD each part carries 30 marks A. History and Culture. B. Constitution, polity, Social Justice and International relations. C. Indian and Andhra Pradesh Economy and Planning. D. Geography.	120 Questions	120 Minutes	120 Marks
Screening Test (Objective Type) Paper-II General Aptitude This paper consists 2 parts i.e., A and B each part carries 60 Marks (Part-A-60 Marks, Part-B (i)-30 Marks and B(ii)-30 Marks) A. General Mental Ability, Administrative and Psychological Abilities. B. (i)Science and Technologies (ii)Current events of Regional, National and International importance	120 Questions	120 Minutes	120 Marks

N.B: NEGATIVE MARKS: As per G.O. Ms. No.235 Finance (HR-I, PIg & Policy) Dept., Dt.06/12/2016, for each wrong answer will be penalized with 1/3rd of the marks prescribed for the question.

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ANNEXURE – B

SCHEME OF EXAMINATION FOR RECRUITMENT TO THE POSTS FALLING UNDER GROUP-I SERVICES

MAINS - WRITTEN EXAMINATION (DESCRIPTIVE TYPE)

Paper in Telugu	Qualifying Nature	180 minutes	150 Marks
Paper in English	Qualifying Nature	180 minutes	150 Marks
Paper - I General Essay - on contemporary themes and issues of regional, national and international importance.	-	180 minutes	150 Marks
Paper-II History and Cultural and Geography of India and Andhra Pradesh	_	180 minutes	150 Marks
Paper -III Polity, constitution, Governance, Law and Ethics	-	180 minutes	150 Marks
Paper -IV Economy and Development of India and Andhra Pradesh.	-	180 minutes	150 Marks
Paper -V Science, Technology and Environmental Issues	-	180 minutes	150 Marks
INTERVIEW			75 Marks
TOTAL MARKS			825 Marks

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